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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

Prepaid wireless airtime is more expensive than traditional wireless airtime. As a result, such users utilize less bandwidth than more traditional plans yielding hundreds of monthly minutes. Companies often foot the bill for wireless customers who have large volume plans. This is probably not the case for prepaid service. For me it certainly is not.

I would really appreciate your trying to reduce the costs of wireless as you've done with long distance.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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